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10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
11 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

12 LINDA HOLT,

13 Plaintiff,

14 v.

15 SALARY CONTINUANCE AND LONG
16 TERM DISABILITY PLAN; KAISER
17 FOUNDATION HEALTH PLAN;
18 KAISER PERMANENTE SALARIED
19 RETIREMENT PLAN,

20 Defendants.

CASE NO. C 07 4656 MEJ

DECLINATION TO PROCEED BEFORE A
MAGISTRATE JUDGE AND REQUEST FOR
REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED STATES
DISTRICT JUDGE

21 REQUEST FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

22 The undersigned parties hereby decline to consent to the assignment of this case to a
23 United States Magistrate Judge for trial and disposition and hereby requests the reassignment of
24 this case to a United States District Judge.

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